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In the Circuit Court of the United States,

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ITRA, MINTRA, CUTRA, CORN.

BY THE REV. J. K. NUTTING. Ten small hands upon the spread, Five forms kneeling beside the bed, Blue-eyes, Black-eyes, Curly-head;

Waiting the magic word. Such a row! Seven years, six years, five. four, two!

Fifty fingers, all in a line. (Yours are thirty, and twenty are mine), Ten sweet eyes that sparkle and shine Motherly Mary, age of ten,

Evens the finger-tips again, Glances along the line—and then-"Intra, mintra, cutra, corn, Apple-seed and apple-thorn, Wire, brier, limber lock,

Three geese in a flock,
Ruble, roble, rabble and row,
Y, O, U, T,
Out!"

Sentence falls on Curly-head; One wee digit is "gone and dead," Nine-and-forty left on the spread.

Who'd be taken, nobody knows, Only God may the lot dispose.

Is it more than a childish play? Still you sigh and turn away,
Why? What pain in the sight, I pray? Ah! too true: "As the fingers fall

One by one, at the magic call, Till, at the last, chance reaches all.

The lot shall fall in many a home That breaks a heart and fills a tomb: "Shall fall, and fall, and fall again,

Like a law that counts our love but vain-Like a Fate, unheeding our woe and pain. "One by one—and who shall say Whether the lot may fall this day,

That calleth these dear babes away ?" 'True, too true. Yet hold, dear friend; Evermore doth the lot depend On him who loved, and loves, to the end.

"Rlind, to our eyes, the flat goes, Who'll be taken, no mortal knows But, only Love will the lot dispose.

"Only Love, with his wiser sight; Love alone, in His infinite might; Love, who dwells in eternal light."

Now are the fifty fingers gone To play some new play under the sur The childish fancy is just and gone.

As childish, for do we not surely know The dear God holdeth our lot below?

OLD GENERAL LEYBOURNE.

Thornberry paced the long terrace before Sepperton Hall, deep in thought. His brows were knit, his lips compressed ogled her through his glass. giving an unusual sternness to his bright, happy, genial face.

day several guests were to arrive for the strained him. shooting season, and among them was

a little heir in the nursery, should sub- tracted the guests' attention. mit to impertinence. Yet, to thus degrade him, might not be considered the proper course for a gentleman to adopt itched very much to do it.

The Squire pondered, then looked up at a certain window. At the same moment, a hand drew aside the curtain. and his wife's fresh, pretty face smiled at him, nodded and vanished.

"I most decidedly shall kick him," muttered the squire. "It's all the reptile merits. Fancy, because of that

eral Leybourne." morning toilet, at his side.

cause of his preturbation. The recollection came back however to the railway station arrived with the insult, brought them at once to me. satisfied with his word and grow quiet, chair of the British Association ought to invited guests.

race to receive them, and as they drove He is beneath you-he is unworthy the spire such feelings. He was a brave modern scientific mind-[Blackwood. up the beech avenue, his glance rested honor.' 'What then would you have me man, and made a reputation as a gallant on the last vehicle, a dog-cart, in which do? I asked, bursting with passion. officer, full of resources, before the resat a particularly effeminate but hand- 'Would you let him go harmless on his bellion.

mustache, and a fine bronzed counte my love, though a good shot, you might al days, until it was nearly battered to literary men: nance, and a merry face, over which, as miss; and if you should happen to hit pieces by bullets, and until it was aphe lounged back smoking, was scattered the wrist of the dandy, he will never parent that the Indians were working with my parents, who were very poor, a humorous gleam, as his telling little write love-verses again.' I embraced themselves up to an assault, which and correspondingly honest. We had

Indian veteran. As the dog-cart stopped before the

meet the new comers. "Good day, Mr. Norton." he said. will find refreshment in the dining

tive, and the squire led him away into row."

the grounds. When there, he said, "My dear Leybourne, as an old and valued friend, I party assembled at breakfast, one seat him to St. Louis, released him, and, sembled there, and Jim and I were in earth—the whole human family—in our letter to your wife what would you do?" fred Norton?

"Shoot him," was the laconic rejoinder. "Has any one been sending a letter to yours, my dear Squire?"

it- found it, eh ?" "Neither. Lucy, crimson with anger.

rought it to me herself." "Herself! In that case you are fortunate and safe. When a wife shows such letters to her husband, he is a happy

man." "I am a happy man General if a wife's faithful love can make me so," said the Squire, quietly. "What I want to know, is how to treat the fellow who sent it."

reward for her affection."

such cases we only think of honor, and not of womenkind. May I ask the name, Squire, of this Lothario?" "The thing you came with in the dog-

cart-the Hon, Alfred Norton!" "He?-that conceited idiot, who believes every woman who looks upon him, from the dairy wench to the duchess, is instantly in love with his elegant perinstantly in love with his elegant per-at first, slowly increasing in quantity, any one more highly, whatever the rela-and set down in those hot saucers of grandmother died of liver complaint, I any one more highly, whatever the rela-candy. There was a general stampede, believe? Lem'me see, how old are you?" powder and ball are too good for himthey do him too much honor! Yet mense basin. I was thoroughly drenchwhat can you do! Let me think?"

The general reflected for five minutes, then said, "Edward Thornberry you have asked my advice. Will you leave in the sunshine again. this matter entirely in my hands?"

person at dinner?" "She must; but it does not matter, as

she despises him!" "True. Am I to do anything?" "Only this. After dinner, while at wine, when you see me play with my in the canon below in one great stream wine, when you see me play with my of red mud. Traveling as fast as I could talking to him and teaching him, than much mistaken in each other. When a lineary other of her works, and it is just emphatically, bringing your hand down

The squire was perplexed, but promised to obey, and the old general returned with him to the dining-room.

Three hours later the guests sat at

Mrs. Thornberry had joined them only a brief space before in the drawing-room. The Squire and the General had marked the languishing glances of the One bright September morning, Squire Hon. Alfred Norton, as he greeted his Hon. Alfred Norton, as he greeted his young hostess: the simpering, conceited, "Who-can-resist-me?" air with which he ogled her through his glass.

Tied our camp equipage from the bank to make a posture after picture, glory after glory, and working still upon such exhibition and constant principles of the river roll on to join the Colorado.—

Tied our camp equipage from the bank to make a posture after picture, glory after glory, and working still upon such exhibition and constant principles of the lays eggs, 'now I lay me." We should say the book lies on the table;

The Squire's hands had clenched ominously; the toe of his boot slightly What was the matter? This: That rose: but the old soldier's grasped re-

"Wait!" he whispered.

story," said one of the party. arm had been amputated."

terrace, Squire Thornberry advanced to the guests.

"Gentlemen," explained the host, field. He was soon promoted, and en- dow looked out to it, and it was frozen When this is done you can beat your he departed early this morning."

"How did you discover it? Stopped Gen. Leybourne, exchanging an amused glance with the Squire.

Chased by a River. Hanging up my barometer to give it a few minutes to settle, I occupied myself in collecting resin from the pinon pines, which were found in great abundance. One of the principal objects of the climb end, and in this little sack I collected from the heavens,—not with gentle drops honest difference of opinion, and respects and set down in those hot saucers of grandmother died of liver complaint, I but as if suddenly poured from an imed and almost washed away. It lasted not more than half hour, when the clouds swept by to the north, and I was

In the meantime, I discovered a better "I will. But must my wife meet this way of getting down and started for camp, making the greatest haste possible. On reaching the bottom of the side canon I found a thousand streams rolling down the cliffs on every side, carrying with them red sand, and these all united

Phil. Sheridan.

The conception of Gen. Sheridan's "Dinner over, the ladies retired, bowed character which the extremest of the scarcely knew how to receive. Should out by the Honorable Adonnis. The Southern press have constantly held up producing of old thoughts under the he challenge him? Should he, before gentlemen divided, and drew their to their readers and which most of their guise of new and advanced opinions. the assembled visitors, kick him as he chairs in clusters, twos and threes, to audience seemed to consider the true It would seem as if the human mind enjoy their wine, and were engaged in one, is that he is a druken, tyrranical with all its restless activity, were des-They were knotty questions. It was lively conversation, when suddenly the bully; fierce and merciless to the weak, tined to revolve in an endless circle. Its hard that he, with a wife he loved, and General's tones, clear and resonant, at and cowardly fearful of an equal foe. progress is marked by many changes and "Fought duels?" he was saying to his ludicrous, if the spirit which prompted more clearly the facts that lie along the neighbor, "I, my lord? Many. As I it did not keep away all ludicrous sug. lines of its rout and the modes or laws was a young man, I was as ready to go gestions. As a great deal will be written under which those facts occur; but this under the circumstances, though his toe out as I was anxious for my dinner; about him presently, based on that idea route in its higher levels always return though, singularly enough, the disputes it is well enough to say something about upon itself. Nature and all its secrets arose from trivial matters. The only the sort of man he really is. And, in become better known, and the powers of time I had really cause to challenge a the first place, he does not indulge in nature are brought more under human man I did not do so. A woman stayed debauchery. In regard to drinking he control; but the sources of nature and is not a total abstinence man, but he is life and thought—all the ultimate prob-"As you have taken us so far into your a very temperate and prudent man. His lems of being-never become clearly inconfidence, General, we must have the manners and address are those of a act. telligible. Not only so but the last efdier who has spent most of his life in the forts of human reasoning on these "Oh, certainly, if you like. Here it field, and who is accustomed to com- subjects are even as the first. Differing senseless ape, bordering that dear face is," answered the soldier, readily. "Thir- mand-brusque often, but tempered by in form they are in substance the same with a widow's cap! It's absurd! Yet ty years ago I had married the prettiest a sense of what is due to himself and Bold as the course of scientific adventure the rules of honor! I'll ask old Gen- woman I had ever met. I was rather to others. He is a kindly-natured and has seemed for a time, it ends very much her elder; but her affection, I knew was generous man. In all the garrisons in as it begun; the men of the nineteenth Turning, the Squire found his wife, in none the less mine. We lived happily his frontier life he was a favorite with century looked over the same abysses of for two years when a conceited puppy, all the children about the post. When speculation as did their forefathers Fondly he drew her arm within his, who believed no woman able to resist he was lieutenant in command of a com- thousands of years before. No philoso

'Herbert,' she said, 'I see what you in- when the agent could not appease them.

gentleman with a heavy, gray, cavalry does he. In the excitement of the sport thousand Indians. He held it for sever- ly delivered before a social meeting of stake?"

"particular business called him away; tered upon the career of achievement hard. A couple of tom cats-it is possi-"Without beat of drum," concluded time he was with the regiment he imien. Leybourne, exchanging an amused the was with a character which middle of this ell, and they were grown working for a paltry commission or two.

is not an arbitrary man. He respects an the midst of the ladies and gentlemen, will know the felicity of Paradise. Your tions in which they stand, who stands by his own opinions and expresses them manfully. His recent telegrams are not in keeping with his character and our now anybody in the world would have with the papers, and I'll sig'n 'em." prejudices. - Frank Leslie's Illustrated gone into profanity or something calcu- Gunn-"Good day. I'm off. I've got Neuspaper.

Beauty of the Sky.

It is a strange thing how little in general people know about the sky. It is a good ready." the part of creation in which Nature has done more for the sake of pleasing man, more for the sole and evident purpose of for our perpetual pleasure.- Ruskin.

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and, for a time, apparently forgot the him, dared to ogle my wife; to this pany his men were exceedingly devoted phy of theism can be said to have adaudacity he added that of seuding her to him. When he was stationed with vanced beyond the book of Job; Prof. amorous love-letters. My wife, her pret- his company at an Indian agency, as he Tyndall, addressing the world from the when at three o'clock, the carriages sent ty face crimson with indignation at the was for some time, the Indians would be throne of modern science—which the be-repeats the thoughts of Democritus The Squire was standing on the ter- tend; but you shall not fight this man. Only a kindly and just man could in- and Epicurus, and the last guesses of the

Mark Twain and the Cats-

So much, already has been written

"When I was fourteen, I was living remarks lashed the exquisite holding my wife—I attended the shooting party. would have destroyed his command, youth living with us by the name of Jim enjoying life. Do you suppose Brutus the ribbons atmost into brain enough to I missed my bird; but for a month, my when he moved them by night to an Wolf. He was an excelet fellow, seven-would a stabbed Cassar if Cassar's death darling's correspondent was confined to island in the middle of the river, where teen years old and very diffident. He would a kept Brutus hard up for market It was General Leybourne, a bronzed his bed. When he quitted it his right the Indians were afraid to approach him. and I slept together-virtously-and one He displayed both his courage and his very bitter winter's night a cousin "Then you did shoot him," exclaimed resources. Even after the rebellion be Mary—she's married now and gonegan he was ordered to report to General gave what they called a candy-pulling, Wise to borrow money to buy boots?" The General began playing with his Curtis, in Missouri, as commissary. A in those days, in the West, and they took "Good day, Mr. Norton," he said, chain, as he answered, "Yes, gentlemen; certain claim was presented for payment the saucers of hot candy outside of the shaking hands with the exquisite; you I shot him in the hand." which he knew to be fraudulent, and house into the snow, under a sort of old "Capital!" ejaculated the Squire, in a refused to pay. Curtis ordered him to bower that came out from the eaves—it al life insurance company, wouldn't it and her death—oh, how consoling to room. General" he added, to the other, loud voice, bringing his hand heavily on pay it; Sheridan again refused, and was sort of an ell then, all covered with reduce your dividends if you was to kill her friends." dropping his voice, "may I detain you a the table and fixing his gaze steadily up- Curtis put him under arrest. After re- vines-to cool this hot candy in the another member, and wouldn't you do on the Hon. Alfred Norton. "An ex- ceiving Curtis's order, he would have snow, and they were all sitting around your terrific best to keep that member The General answered in the affirma- cellent idea! I'd do the same to-mor- been legally safe in paying the claim, there, and in the meantime we were alive?" but he would not under any condition, gone to bed, we were not invited to atbe a party to a fraud. Halleck, who tend this party, we were too young. The

that made him famous. In the short ble one might have been the other sex— into pruning hooks, for there'll be no made it develop into one of the most ing at a fearful rate, and switching their It is a labor of love. I'm trying to efficient cavalry regiments in the service.

tails about and going on, and we couldn't elevate the race and promote Christian sleep at all. Finally Jim said, 'For two civilization." are grateful to Sheridan do not fully cents I'd go out and snake them cats off Pitman-"It never struck me that appreciate him. They look upon him that chimney;' so I said, 'Of course you way," merely as a ready and dashing cavalry officer, skilled and successful in carrying mighty good notion to do it; says I 'Of you, as a member of the Peace Society, officer, skilled and successful in carrying mighty good notice to do it. you, as a member of the feate occurs, out the plans of others, and do not gire course you have; certainly you have, to enroll your name among those who him credit for his strenger parts. The was to get this resin for the purpose of same aring our boats, but I had with me man of very vigorous intellect, a hard he wouldn't. Finally I did get his amdends payable semi-annually. Unborn no means of carrying it down. The day was very hot and my coat had been left was very hot and my coat had been left making broad generalizations. When climbed out on that icy roof, with noth-"Shoot him."

"And perhaps leave Lucy a widow in the was abroad, he was with Bismarck, but it occurred to me to cut off the by that great man's invitation, in daily shirt. He went climbing along on all tine; and you'll dry the widow's tears. association for several weeks. Bismarck fours on the roof toward this chinmey and hush the cry of the orphan. Go in would not have wasted more than one where the cats were. In the meantime for a \$5,000 policy, and I assure you that about a gallon of pitch. After taking interview on a strange tourist if he had these young ladies and gentlemen were the glad hosanuas of the white-robed not found him something great and con- enjoying themselves down under the angel of Peace once more will resound back on the rocks, for an hour or two, genial. Sheridan is very free from see- eaves, and when Jim got almost to that from the stary vaults of heaven, and when, suddenly, I noticed that a storm tional prejudice. He feels no antagon-chimney he made a pass at the cats, and over the smiling earth the songs of love ism to the people of the south. He laid his heels flew up and he shot down and will still the clangor of the war-horse and a shelter in the rocks, but when the that aside when the war ended. He is crashed through those vines, and lit in the boom of cannon, and man once more

lated to relieve the mind, but he did'nt, an engagement with Cooley at 11, and he scraped the candy off his legs, nursed I'm anxious to keep it. I've haunted

have ketched them cats if I had had on cumbed."

Sit and Set, Lay and Lie. The two words, 'sit' and 'set' are too run I soon reached the foot of the stream in any other of her works, and it is just grammar class is asked for the first time emphatically, bringing your hand down heavily on the table, "Capital! An excellent idea. By Jove! I'd do the same to-morrow."

There are not many of her other works in which some more material or essential one way and the other.

There are not many of her other works in which some more material or essential one way and the other. it came in waves several feet high and purpose of the sky might, as far as we The court means the judge or judges; it came in waves several feet high and know, be answered, if once in three days the judge sits, the court sits, the jury the literary contents they get better and soaked it up and it was lost. Wave fol. or thereabout, a great black ugly rainsoaked it up and it was lost. Wave fol. or thereabout, a great black ugly rainsits, the hens sit, birds sit. Setting better. No other ladie's book has such lowed wave and rolled along and was cloud were broken up over the blue, and hen is wrong; hens are not setters or swallowed up, and still the floods came everything well watered, and so all left pointers. Set requires an objective case "Peterson." Take it all in all, it is, as from above. I found I could travel blue again, until next time, with per- we set a chair, but sit in it. There is a faster than the stream, so I hastened on haps a film of morning and evening mist similar difficulty in the words 'lie' and the publisher claims, the best for its to camp and told the men there was a river coming down the canen. We carried a moment of any day of our lives when thing 'lays,' and all 'lay abed.' The ried our camp equipage from the bank nature is not producing scene after quoted words are wrong. Lay means to river roll on to join the Colorado.— quisite and beauty, that it is quite cer he lies abed and now he lies low, if you Wife," as a premium to the person gettain it is all done for us, and intended please, but nobody lays unless he has something to lay.

Benjamin P. Gunn.

Danbury News:

My life insurance agent Benjamin P. Gunn, to whom I have alluded at length in my book, is still around, and he is still canvassing actively for his company. A day or two ago he dropped in to persuade Mr. Pitman to take out a policy, and the following conversation ensued :

Gunn-"I called-" Pitman-"O GET OUT! I don't want o he bored about life insurance."

Gunn-"I just dropped in to see if-Piuman—"I know you did, and I don't ladies, but did not succeed in overtaking want any. You can't insure me." Gunn-"If you will permit me merely

Pitman-"But I won't permit you. Skip! This is the sixteenth time youv'e them coming gave them the whole road. tackled me, and I'm sick of it, I ain't a-going to insure my life that's settled." Gunn-"You misunderstand me, bright fireside, with happy children

member of the Peace Society." Pitman-"I am." you are willing to help along any scheme the happy children sit around the cheerwhich will put an end to war and mur- ful fireside until you return, they will

Pitman-"Certainly." Gunn-"Well then just listen to me am acting in behalf of your society. producing permanent peace on earth and

kill Abel ?" Pitman-"I dunuo."

Gunn-"Because he had no particular interest in keeping him alive. That's some man, of scarcely thirty, with a fair evil course? 'No,' she answered; yet In an outbreak among the Oregon In- and told concerning the life and history the reason. Why did David bang Goskin, mustache, an eyeglass, and a per-your life shall not be risked for his. He dians, he, with forty men, was beseiged of this genius that we propose here liah; why did the Romans butcher the adores his own handsome person. To in an old and weak block house, at the merely to record an extract from one of Carthagenians; why did old what's his evening recently she said to him, "If you By his side, in marked contrast, was a morrow you join the shooting party—so Cascades, by fifteen hundred or two his bright and sparkling speeches recent-

> Gunn-"Why because it wasn't mor ey in the pockets of any of those fellows of that interview may be imagined. to have the other chaps walking around money? Not much, he wouldn't. Do ministers being here altogether?" "Why," Brown if John's death would a forced

Pitman-"Hanged if I know."

Pitman-"May be he wouldn't." Gunn-"Well then, look a here. Sup-

Pitnam-"Strikes me I would." Gunn-"Of course. Now what I am RATES OF ADVERTISING.

swords into spears and your plowshares

his blisters a little, and said, 'I could him for two years new, and he has suc-

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> The Lewiston Journal tells the story of two ladies who called at a livery stable to hire a horse to go ten miles out. The proprietor was out, and the hostler, being a "new comer," and not acquainted with the horses, gave them the best looking one. On the return of the proprietor he found the ladies had gone with a horse so high spirited that he would trust but few men with him. He them until they had arrived at their destination. He asked them if they had any trouble in passing teams. They said they did not, as every one who saw

"You have a pleasant home and a Judge. I called to ascertain if you area sitting around it, haven't you?" said the Judge. "Yes, sir," said Mr. Thompson, who thought he saw a way out of the Gunn-"I thought so. And of course difficulty. "Well," said the Judge, "If stay there just 43 days, as I shall send you up for that time. - Cis. Times.

A smart lad in San Antonia, Texas, I have on hand a magnificent plan for blind orgran-grinder, and, hat in hand, recently took his stand by the side of a making armies useless. Why did Cain filled by the sympathetic passers-by, he solicited alms. When his hat was nearly walked off, leaving the organist grinding away, utterly ignorant of the whole

As a Louisville girl was taking leave of a gentleman at her father's house one lowing my male acquaintances to kies me good-bye you musn't believe it, as I seldom allow such liberties." The close

phia, the following conversation was overheard between two news-hoys: "Say Jim, what's the meaning of so many answered Jim, scornfully, "they always

meet once a year to swop sermons. The obituary notice of a much res ted lady concluded with-"In her life

The most gallant man ever heard of is one who refrained from kicking a dog who had bitten him, because it was a female dog. "If it wasn't for your sex," said he "I'd kick your head oft."

To clothe the naked and feed the want your advice. If a man sent a love was vacant. Where was the Hon, Alletter to your wife what would you do?" fred Norton?

Securing his appointment as colonel of a volunteer regiment, sent him to the snow on the roof of the ell, and our win-feetly wild to keep everybody else alive.